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Mrs. Penny Bowen
President
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Dear Mrs. Bowen:

Thank you for your letter of December 4 concerning "Dungeons and Dragons". I have also received presumably at your request materials from elsewhere on the same subject at about the same time. I obviously am concerned by the reports that I have read and have taken the liberty of discussing this with some of my colleagues with an interest in physiological impact of such activity on youngsters.

If I come up with anything positive that you should be aware of I will certainly be in touch.

Sincerely yours,

C. Everett Koop, M.D. Surgeon General

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